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## 2021 Toddler Stepping Stones Program INFORMATION

June 14 - August 6, 2021 An Eight Week Program 8am-3pm (with 3-5pm Extended Day Option) Enrollment Limited-Register Now (No class July 5, 2021)

Barrie School is pleased to offer an eight-week summer program for students currently enrolled in our Toddler Program and turning 2 years old by June 14, 2021. The 2021 Toddler Stepping Stones Program builds on the Montessori school year principles of hands-on learning and independence. Guided by experienced teachers, children will engage in projects, water activities, nature walks, stories, songs, and art activities. Summer students will enjoy a fun, safe summer in familiar surroundings with Barrie friends.

#### Eligibility:

- Both returning to Barrie for the 2021-2022 school year and not returning are welcome but re-enrolled students have priority.
- All current Barrie School students at least 2 years old by June 14, 2021 but not 4 years old before January 1, 2022.
- Children turning 4 years old by January 1, 2022 are eligible to enroll in Barrie Camp.
- Children do not have to be potty trained to enroll in the Toddler Stepping Stones Program.

#### **Program Dates:**

Monday through Friday, June 14, 2021 through August 6, 2021. In observance of Independence Day, there is no class on Monday, July 5, 2021.

#### **Program Hours:**

8:00am-3:00pm Toddler Stepping Stones Program 3:00pm-5:00pm Toddler Stepping Stones Program Extended Day Note that these hours are scheduled to avoid peak Barrie Camp pick-up and drop-off times.

#### **Tuition:**

DATE	WITHOUT EXTENDED DAY OPTION	WITH EXTENDED DAY OPTION
<u>March 5, 2021</u> Non-refundable Deposit	\$500	\$500
April 1, 2021	\$1,490	\$1,920
May 1, 2021	\$1,490	\$1,920
Total Tuition	\$ <u>3,480</u>	\$ <u>4340</u>

Please note that there is no financial aid available for the Toddler Stepping Stones Program tuition and/or fees.

#### **Other Fees:**

Extended Day Drop-In: \$30 daily drop-in on space-available basis.

Late Pick-up Fee: \$1.00 per minute, 3:00pm-5:00pm upto \$30. After 5:00pm, \$2.00 per minute.

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I understand that without full payment, my child will not be permitted to attend. I understand there is a \$50 charge for a returned check.

# Confirmation:

A minimum of nine students must be enrolled in the program by March 5, 2021 for Barrie to run the program. If nine students are not enrolled by this date, the program will be cancelled, parents will be notified and the full deposit will be returned. I understand that unless the Student is withdrawn by written notice given personally, return receipt requested, and received by the Montessori Office by 5:00pm on April 1, 2021, I am liable for and agree to pay the full eight (8) week program.

## **Apply Now to Secure Placement:**

To reserve your student's place, return the completed contract, with the non-refundable deposit, to the Lower School Office. Once our maximum capacity has been reached, enrollment will be closed, and a waitlist formed. You will receive an acknowledgment of enrollment by March 12, 2021. <u>Children enrolled in the</u> 2021-2022 school year at Barrie School will have first consideration to enroll through March 5, 2021.

# Required Emergency Information and Medical Forms:

2021-2022 medical forms are required for the 2021 Toddler Stepping Stones Program. Please note: As always, changes to your Emergency Contact, Pick Up, and Medical needs must be submitted promptly to the Lower School Front Office for our records. Please email or stop in the Office to make these changes.

## **Class Location:**

This program will take place in Founders 1A, Founders 1B, Founders 2, and/or Founders 3.

## **Class Placement:**

The school reserves the exclusive right of particular class placement.

## Arrival and Dismissal:

For safety and ease of transition, parents are required to walk students to the Toddler Stepping Stones classroom for arrival and dismissal.

## Daily Schedule:

- Weather permitting, classes begin outside on the playground or decks.
- Work time with circle and school provided snack (Please contact the nurse with allergy concerns.)
- Outdoor play, nature walks, and sprinkler time (twice per week), weather permitting.
- Lunch
- Nap
- Fruit Snack
- 3:00 Departures
- Afternoon work time with circle and parent provided snack. Outdoor play, weather permitting

## What to Bring: (Please label all items!)

- Bathing suit, water shoes, and child-sized towel
- Sunscreen and bug spray- for afternoon application (Parents, please apply morning application!)
- Water Bottle

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- Two complete changes of clothing to remain at school
- Lunch and afternoon snack if desired and staying for extended day.
- Diapers/Wipes/Pull-Ups (for non-toilet trained students and students beginning toilet training)

Please note:

- Barrie supplied fitted cot sheet will go home Friday afternoon and must be returned clean on Monday.
- Children should wear clothing that is comfortable for both walking and play. They WILL get dirty!
- Children should wear closed-toe shoes.
- Please label everything with the child's name: lunch box, backpack, sweatshirt, socks, swimsuit, and towels.
- We are not responsible for lost items.

## Inquiries and Assistance:

For more information regarding the program or assistance with registration, contact: Jennifer Protil jprotil@barrie.org 301-576-2830 or montessorifrontoffice@barrie.org 301-576-2832

For information regarding the medical forms, contact: Kirstie Abernathy kabernathy@barrie.org 301-576-2814